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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
SHUICHI NAKAMURA) Examiner: K. Parton
Application No.: 09/161,404) Group Art Unit: 2153
Filed: September 28, 1998)
For: INFORMATION PROVIDING)
SYSTEM, APPARATUS)
METHOD AND STORAGE)
MEDIUM : October 21, 2002

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2002 for one month from September 20, 2002 to Monday, October 21, 2002.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231 on 10/21/02 (Date of Deposit)

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Name of Attorney for Applicant



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Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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